

TARIFF PLUNGE MADE IN SENATE

In Every Test Vote Made During the Day the Democratic Leaders Were Upheld—Republicans Vote Favorable.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—Then senate took its first plunge into the intricacies of the Underwood-Simmons tariff revision bill Wednesday. At the end of a day of hard work only a few paragraphs of the voluminous measure had been completed when adjournment was reached at night. In every test vote throughout the day the democratic leaders were upheld, in some cases receiving the support of republicans aligned with the progressive element.

Detailed consideration of the bill began unexpectedly when it was found that the republican senators were ready to deliver general tariff speeches. Senator Simmons, chairman of the finance committee, urged that the senate should lose no time in pushing the measure to a vote and with the consent of the republicans the reading of the bill line by line was begun. Tests of strength came upon a number of relatively unimportant items, embraced in duties upon chemicals and drugs. The democratic ranks held solidly upon each vote. Upon the first vote, until Sen. Smoot opposed a reduction of the oxalic acid duty from 2 cents to 1 1/2 cents per pound, Senators Borah, Bristow, Crawford, Cummins, Jones, LaFollette, Norris and Works, republicans, and Sen. Poindexter, progressive, joined the democrats in indorsing the proposed reduction. On a subsequent vote to increase the duty on pyrogallol acid from 10 per cent. to 15 per cent., 12 republicans voted with the democrats.

Democratic senators evinced throughout the day the determination of the party managers to hold debate to a minimum. No democratic senators participated in general discussion further than to give information as to the reasons for the reductions.

ATTORNEY NEWTON GETS THREE YEARS SENTENCE

Man Who Came Into Prominence During Crippen Trial Convicted of Conspiracy to Defraud.

LONDON, July 24.—Arthur Newton, the lawyer who came into so much prominence during the trial of Dr. Crippen for murder, was sentenced to three years' penal servitude at Old Bailey sessions Wednesday. He had been convicted of conspiracy to defraud Dr. Hans Thorsch, a wealthy young citizen of Vienna, out of \$155,000 by false pretenses in 1911 and 1912.

Newton's companion, Bouvard Bennett, was sentenced at the same time to 15 months' hard labor.

The judge characterized the prisoners' action on a gross plot to swindle Thorsch.

The judge characterized the prisoners as induced by the conspirators to part with his fortune on the pretense that it was to be invested for him and the investments chosen were "wild cat" schemes.

TAMMANY IS BLAMED FOR BINGHAMTON BLAZE

Gov. Sulzer Says Murphy Will Not Permit Senate to Confirm Nominations.

ALBANY, N. Y., July 24.—Gov. Sulzer, after characterizing the Binghamton fire as a "terrible catastrophe" declared in a statement Wednesday, that the people of the state "will hold Mr. Murphy of Tammany hall responsible."

"It is a sad commentary on the present condition of the state labor department which is tied up so that it cannot execute the laws on the statute books to prevent these tragedies," says the statement. "The fact is that Mr. Murphy will not permit his senate to confirm the nomination of John Mitchell or James M. Lynch for state labor commissioner, not that he can say anything about these men, who are peculiarly qualified to do the work, but because he can't make me name his man for the position. The people understand the question. They will hold Mr. Murphy responsible."

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RAILROADS FIGHT BURLESON'S ORDER

Allege That if New Parcel Post Ruling Becomes Effective They Will Lose Several Millions a Year.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—Railway representatives Wednesday joined in the fight to prevent Postmaster Gen. Burleson from increasing the size of parcel post packages transmissible through the mails and reducing the rates, to become effective Aug. 15. A delegation representing the railroads generally throughout the country laid their complaint before senators and representatives and prepared to protest formally against the changes to the interstate commerce commission.

The movement in the senate itself to forestall the department changes by repealing the section of the parcel post law under which the postmaster general claims the right to regulate rates and sizes, further crystallized when Sen. Bryan of Florida introduced a joint resolution to repeal the legislation in question. Another development of the day was the postponement of the explanation demanded by the senate postoffice committee of Postmaster Gen. Burleson of his authority to inaugurate the changes from Wednesday until Friday.

In protesting against the changes the railway representatives said that at present the roads received 50 per cent of the pay collected by express companies for the carriage of packages and complained that they would lose from \$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000 a year on business the government would take from the express companies through the reduced rates and increased maximum limit on the size of packages.

WANTS MAYOR'S POSITION

SPECIAL TO THE NEWS-TIMES.
MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., July 24.—Martin Krueger, formerly mayor of this city during a democratic administration, has announced himself a candidate for mayor on the citizens' ticket. For a number of years he has been prominent in politics both in the city and in northern Indiana. Fred Miller is the candidate announced to oppose him on the democratic ticket. No other ticket will be placed in the field, as progressives and republicans have united in an effort to defeat the democrats.

C. S. HAMLIN IS PICKED

WASHINGTON, July 24.—Charles Sumner Hamlin of Boston has been selected as assistant secretary of the treasury in charge of the customs service, to succeed James F. Curtis, who will retire on Aug. 1. Secretary McAdoo Wednesday formally recommended the appointment to Pres. Wilson, who is expected to send the nomination to the senate within a few days.

Mr. Hamlin occupied the same position during the second administration of Pres. Cleveland.

A GLASS OF CLARET LEMONADE.

Mystery Story of Inside Washington Life Tells Just How the World Learned Thomas Nelson Page Was Appointed to the Diplomatic Corps.

Four men were seated in close consultation about a table in a secluded corner of a gorgeous cafe in Pennsylvania av., Washington. When they could do so without being observed ever and anon they'd cast furtive glances at a party of three enjoying themselves hugely at an adjoining table.

One of the party of three was a pleasant-looking little man with a good-sized mustache and a head of hair that was once blonde. He's the "gent" the newspaper correspondents are watching. They have been watching him for hours. They followed him there. They see him give an order to a waiter.

One of them declares that if the waiter brings a glass of beer it's a cinch the little man has been appointed ambassador to Germany. Another announces that if champagne is served it announces France as his destination. A third declares that if Rhine wine is served Austria will draw him.

They watch in breathless silence, with an intensity of expression nobody but a Washington correspondent can grow on an otherwise perfectly human face.

Suddenly the fourth man, who had said nothing, leaped to his feet and dashed out of the room. He had a view of the waiter returning from the bar with the order. He saw that the glass on the tray contained claret lemonade. Arriving at the telegraph office, he sent this dispatch:

"Thomas Nelson Page has been appointed ambassador to Italy!"

It was even so! The little man was Thomas Nelson Page. He had just come from the white house, where his friend and fellow-author, Woodrow Wilson, had offered him the post of ambassador to Italy and he straightway made for the nearest cafe to get into training for his job. It doesn't take a very smart deductor to associate red wine and lemons with Italy. Anybody who has eaten dinner at an Italian restaurant or passed a fruit vendor's push cart could do that.

Thomas Nelson Page is a Virginian and an author. He is 60 years old—more than half of which has been



THOMAS NELSON PAGE.

spent writing books that the American people like to read.

Before starting in the author business he was a practicing lawyer in Richmond. He found it difficult to make both ends meet at the bar and he went on the lecture platform.

From lecturing he turned to books and he has turned out a five-foot shelf of them, all by himself. They all tell of Virginia and the south.

Page has made a lot of money with his books and has spent the last few years enjoying himself. He is a well-known and popular figure in almost all the capitals of the old world. Italy has welcomed him with open arms—almost any one of the European countries would have done the same.

His clever wife was the widow of the late Henry Field of Chicago before she married Page and is responsible for a good half of the social success of the family.

VANDALIA.

Mabel and Mary Seidel spent Sunday with friends in Three Rivers.

Mrs. Charles Everhart is spending a few days in Colon.

Parker James and wife were callers at the John Doyle home Sunday.

Mrs. B. L. Evans and daughter of Cassopolis will spend a few days at the Hudson Evans home.

Mrs. Ellen Clancy and son are at the Anson East home for a few days.

Fred Wilson is back on his mail route after taking a two week's vacation.

Mrs. Edna Cuselman and children were in Cassopolis Saturday.

Miss Edna Lindy spent Sunday in Cassopolis with her father.

Mrs. Ernest Stanard of Jones spent Sunday here with her mother and sisters.

Mrs. S. T. Vanantwerp called on friends in Cassopolis Sunday.

Percy Luter is entertaining his cousin from Toledo.

G. A. Rupp and wife returned to South Bend Saturday after spending a few days here with relatives.

Mrs. Will Wagner and daughter was over Sunday guests in Three Rivers at the Will Smith home.

Walter and Stanley La Parle of Chicago will spend a few days at the Wagner home.

The show in town Saturday was a success in every way.

Dr. Fenstermacher transacted business in Three Rivers Wednesday.

Frank Hanley and father of South Bend are camping at Donald's Lake.

Mrs. John Stockdale and friends from Chicago are spending the day at Donald's Lake.

ROLLING PRAIRIE

Mrs. J. M. Chessa and children have returned from Goshen, after a week's visit relatives.

Miss Pauline Ellwood is spending the

week with her grandparents in Elkhart.

Miss Maud Beall is at work again at W. W. Ludtke's store, after enjoying a vacation.

About thirty members of the congregation of the Christian church of LaPorte attended service Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hatfield of Elkhart visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Hatfield.

Miss Mary Wilson of LaPorte was a guest Sunday of Mrs. James Biel.

Miss Grace Augustin of LaPorte spent Sunday at her home here.

Miss Laura Every who visited the past two weeks with her sister Mrs. E. E. Reese has returned to her home in Chicago.

YELLOW BARK

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Mangus were guests Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Walters.

Mrs. Mary and Roy Summers entertained a number of their friends last Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Gates of Chicago is a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson.

The Gilead church at the Fair cemetery is now completed.

Mrs. G. Wagner visited with friends in South Bend over Sunday.

Farmers are busy harvesting oats and threshing wheat.

Mr. Melvin Hostetler, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wright and family were Sunday guests of Mahlon Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Seybold and daughter Edith visited with friends in South Bend Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Phillips entertained a number of their friends Sunday.

CHICAGO—Drivers of bakery wagons will have to wear gloves when they handle bread if an ordinance recommended by council's health committee passes.

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John T. Niezgodzki



Democratic candidate for Mayor of South Bend, subject to the decision of the Party's Primaries on August 6th, is forty-one years of age and has been a resident of this city for forty years. He is essentially a self-made man. In asking the suffrages of the people of this city for the highest office in their gift he wishes to place before them a few facts regarding his candidacy.

He has always taken an active part in the civic and political affairs of this city. While Mr. Niezgodzki has never held any elective office from the people of this city he deems himself fully qualified to discharge the duties incumbent upon the mayor of this city. During Mr. Fogarty's administrations he was a member of the Board of Public Safety and there discharged his duties in a manner that received the endorsements of Mr. Fogarty and the people of this community. He has seen South Bend grow from a small, inferior town to a city of the first class. Mr. Niezgodzki has grown with it. He believes in a larger and better city and will strive to make South Bend a better and more prosperous city.

Mr. Niezgodzki, if elected mayor, will endeavor to give the people of South Bend a business administration to put into effect the system of business methods that he employs himself as an individual.

He has no organization to back him up in securing this nomination. He asks the citizens of this city for their support on his merits as a taxpayer and a business man. If nominated and elected by the people of this county he will further their interests to the best of his ability.

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DONALD P. DRUMMOND,

Candidate for City Judge subject to Democratic Primaries, Aug. 6, 1913.

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Place of Voting In Each Ward To Be Announced Later

All candidates must file a petition signed by 25 legal voters at least five days before above date, with some member of the executive committee.

Citizens' Party Executive Committee

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